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USUN FOR USDEL 23RD UNDP GOVERNING COUNCIL

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: UNDP, EAID
SUBJECT: UNDP: U.S. INITIATIVES ON USE OF ACCUMULATED
NON-CONVERTIBLE CURRENCIES

REF: (A) STATE 6775, (B) STATE 6774

1. DCM MADE PRESENTATION JANUARY 15 IN ACCORDANCE REF B
TO SENIOR MFA OFFICER WITH KNOWLEDGE OF UNDP AFFAIRS.
LEFT WITH HIM AIDE MEMOIRE AND DRAFT US PROPOSAL PER REF
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2. MFA OFFICER RESPONDED THAT UNDERLYING ISSUES WERE VERY
FAMILIAR, AND NOT LIMITED TO UNDP. KUWAIT WAS SYMPATHETIC
TO OBJECTIVE OF MAXIMIZING EFFECTIVENESS OF UNDP PROGRAMS
AND ANXIOUS TO HELP RESOLVE LIQUIDITY PROBLEMS. HOWEVER,
ISSUE WHICH DCM HAD PRESENTED AS ESSENTIALLY TECHNICAL
MATTER CARRIES, MFA OFFICIAL SAID, HEAVY POLITICAL UNDER-
TONES, AND KUWAIT WOULD PROBABLY NOT TAKE THE LEAD PROMOTING
PROPOSAL BY "ONE SIDE TO THE CONTROVERSY."

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3. MFA OFFICIAL STATED THAT KUWAITI PERMREP AMBASSADOR
BISHARA WOULD HIMSELF HEAD KUWAITI DELEGATION TO UNDP GC.
BISHARA HAS LONG EXPERIENCE WITH THIS ISSUE, SAID MFA
OFFICER, AND MFA WOULD NOT WISH TO INSTRUCT HIM HOW TO
PROCEED. MFA WOULD, HOWEVER, IMMEDIATELY POUCH TO NEW YORK
FOR ITS DELEGATION'S USE THE AIDE MEMOIRE AND DRAFT US

PROPOSAL.

4. COMMENT: IF THERE ARE POINTS TO BE MADE WITH KUWAIT
RESPONSORSHIP OF US PROPOSAL, THEY MUST BE MADE WITH AMB
BISHARA IN NEW YORK.
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